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Pork is so high that every pig may have to be incorporated.

Cheap cuts of beef may be best, but where can they be purchased?

It is possible now to telegraph a letter provided you have the price.

In the case of a cold wave we are all willing to speed the parting guest.

America leads the world in tobacco, which makes it easy to watch our smoke.

When the coal is exhausted will the cement people give us something just as good?

For the benefit of the treasury department: A hen is not a bird. A hen is a peach nowadays.

Some amateur farmers who were going to raise hens are seriously thinking of shifting to hogs.

Friends of the comet cannot successfully demonstrate that it is having a warming effect on the earth.

Is it true that the art of conversation is dead in America? Telephone for a life insurance agent and see.

Many of our brightest citizens are about to find out how many different diseases a young chicken can have.

Instead of buying pigs' feet hereafter it may be thought advisable by the economical person to buy a pig's foot.

One hundred thousand persons in New York have windowless living rooms. More work for the undertaker.

Seventeen inches more of snow in the Pittsburgh district means more excitement along the Ohio when the thaw comes.

Dr. Wiley's idea that cooking, like painting, is a fine art does not imply that a picture of a beefsteak can satisfy a hungry man.

Mars may be in a high state of civilization, but a world that depends upon canal boats for transportation cannot be very up-to-date.

An esteemed contemporary announces that "The Atmosphere is Clearing in England," by which it means that the fog is lifting.

As to the chancier hat: Roosters are all right for military purposes, but the old reliable hen lays the eggs that bring in the money to buy the hats.

Governmental long-distance meteorological prophecies have been just a little too good for any man who does not like to sleep between blankets.

A young woman has been attempting to commit suicide because she could not become an actress. Luckily most of the women who never can be actresses go bravely ahead making a bluff at it.

It is predicted by a correspondent that when all the coal is exhausted "millions of men and women will be turned out to freeze and starve." We should think they would prefer to go south and eat bananas.

It appears that the reason there are not more married employees with the telephone company is that the girls begin housekeeping when they get married and quit registering the hellos of the great and impatient public.

There seems to be no limit to the mineral wealth of Alaska. One of the latest expert estimates puts the gross value of the coal which may be mined in the Behring river district alone at \$900,000,000. That dwarfs even the gold output.

Cuba's new government continues to make a good showing. Official reports are to the effect that during the first fiscal year succeeding the recent American occupation all expenses have been met and \$6,000,000 was paid on the public debt. The young republic should have full credit for excellent management thus far, and the people of the United States will sympathize warmly with those who are seeking to rule the island with economy and efficiency.

## TONGS START FIERCE WAR

SLUMBERING FEUD OF CHINESE FACTIONAL SOCIETIES BREAKS OUT ANEW.

### POLICE SURROUND CHINATOWN

Victims Are Attacked Simultaneously in Different Localities—Two Dead and One Injured in the Casualty List in Both Philadelphia and New York.

Philadelphia.—After a long period of peace among Chinese factional societies a long war broke out in this city, and, as a result, two Chinamen are dead and another so badly injured that he is expected to live but a few hours.

The shootings were at two different localities, but within a couple of minutes of each other. The first was in the grocery of On San Wo & Co., No. 927 Cherry street, where Chu Long, the proprietor, was killed, and Jung Sing was shot twice in the stomach. The latter is now in the Hahnemann hospital.

The echoes of the three shots fired there had hardly died away before another storm of bullets rained into the Chinese restaurant of Mie Hong Low, on Race street, near Ninth, where the Hip Sing Tong was holding a banquet. Chinatown is completely surrounded by policemen, and if the criminals have not already got beyond the police lines they stand little chance of escaping.

New York.—Two Chinamen dead and a third seriously wounded marked the renewal of the Tong feuds in Chinatown.

Chung Fook was shot three times in the chest while standing on a street corner and died before he could be carried to a hospital. Chen Hen was arrested. Ing Mon Meng, a laundryman, was found dead in a store in Doyer street, with a bullet hole in his right side. Nobody has been arrested in this case.

Chunoy Lien, a wealthy and benevolent merchant, formerly Chinese agent in New York for the Northern Pacific railroad, was shot three times in both thighs by an assailant who escaped.

### "MODERATION AND PEACE"

Premier's Address Caused Violent Demonstrations on Part of Radicals.

St. Chamond, France.—Anarchists and revolutionists from all parts of France came to attend the opening of the electoral campaign by Premier Briand and the event was marked by violent demonstrations on the part of the radicals.

Many of the more riotous individuals threw stones at the assemblage, smashing windows right and left, and some shot off their revolvers to intimidate the government officials. One stone narrowly missed the premier's head.

Premier Briand's address was infused with the spirit of moderation and peace, urging the attainment of social reforms by pacific and gradual methods.

"The republic," he said, "owes to all equal justice and liberty. She can not make herself a persecutor without failing in essential principles."

At this point the premier's words were drowned by the crash of a shower of bricks through the windows and the cracking of revolvers.

### Eight Men Instantly Killed.

Novite, Tex.—Eight men were instantly killed, three badly injured and one is missing by the premature explosion of a heavy charge of dynamite at a construction camp on the Texaco extension of the Santa Fe railroad. The identified dead are: R. C. Pryor, Ft. Worth; C. H. Blalock, Kentucky; Pat Ward, Paris, Tex.; M. L. Buzle, Coleman, Tex.; Ed Arlington, Ft. Worth, Tex., and Jack Reagan, Texas.

### Wife Slays Husband.

Pittsburg, Kan.—Walter Caldwell was shot and instantly killed by his wife, Mary Caldwell. She went to police headquarters and surrendered. She declared that when she accused him of spending the evening with another woman he threatened to kill her, so she secured a revolver under her pillow and shot him twice.

### More Bodies Recovered.

Cherry, Ill.—Thirty-nine more bodies of miners were taken out of the St. Paul coal mine, where they had been entombed since the disaster of last November 13. It is believed 50 more bodies will be recovered within a few days.

### Aged Inmates Were Rescued.

New York.—Fifty-six men and women, the youngest passed 69 years, inmates of the Fritz Reuter Altenheim, near North Bergen, N. J., were rescued from fire which destroyed the east wing of the main building.

### Wilson's Condition Critical.

Annapolis, Md.—Midshipman Earl D. Wilson, whose neck was broken during a football game here on Oct. 16, is in an extremely grave condition and his death is thought to be a matter of a day or two only.

## FATHER WENT TO CHURCH.



### ILLINOIS "WETS" WIN FIGHT

SALOON MAKE GAINS ALL OVER THE STATE.

Liquor Interests Victorious in 146 Towns and Cities—Regain 37 From "Drys."

Chicago.—The local option vote in Illinois cities and towns showed a tendency in favor of the "wets," when it is compared with the similar contests of two years ago.

Almost everywhere the "wets" held onto the cities where saloons have flourished, and in only a few instances were their votes cut down.

In addition, they won a considerable number of cities back from the "drys," who had driven out the saloons in the elections of two years ago. In a large number of cities the "wet" majorities showed considerable increase.

The "drys" gained a few cities from the "wets," but none of these were of importance.

Returns from 163 towns showed that 99 had voted in favor of saloons and 64 against them.

Of the 99 credited to the "wets" 37 had been voted "dry" two years ago. Out of 64 which voted "dry," only 14 represented places which had been taken out of the "wet" column.

The biggest "wet" victories were represented by the return of the saloons to Decatur, Rockford and Mattoon, whose capture by the "drys" two years ago had been considered a remarkable triumph for the Prohibitionists. In addition to these, the "wets" recaptured, among others, Batavia, Belvidere, Clinton, Fairbury, Naperville and Pana.

The "wets" also succeeded in holding onto Aurora, Bloomington, Danville, Centralia, Elgin, Freeport, Joliet, Waukegan, Moline, Springfield and Sterling.

The anti-saloon forces ended the day with no notable victories, although the fact that they held their own in the city of Galesburg, which they kept in the "dry" column, and the fact that they won over several minor places, gave them some cause for rejoicing.

The most notable fight of the day was that made in Danville, where for a time it seemed as though Governor Deneen might have to use the militia to end rioting. The disturbances were put down, however, without such extremes. But when the votes were counted it was found that Danville had been held in the "wet" column by a majority of 1,018. This, however, was a decided decrease from the 2,500 majority of two years ago, and the "drys" claimed that their work had not been entirely in vain.

In Chicago aldermanic election the Democrats won a victory electing 21 members to the common council. The Republicans elected 13 and the Independents one. A Republican majority of 11 in the present council was changed to a minority of six.

### ANDREW CARNEGIE IS FEEBLE

New York Friends Are Much Perturbed Over Physical Condition of Ironmaster.

New York.—Friends of Andrew Carnegie, who has just returned here from the west, were perturbed by his physical condition. At his home it was declared that he merely was fatigued and that after a thorough rest he would be perfectly well, but the facts that he required the assistance of two men in alighting from his car and that his personal appearance indicated physical unrest or ailment have created uneasiness.

### Vote Strike on Three Roads.

Cleveland, O.—Tramway and conductors employed upon the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, the Lake Erie & Western, and the Nickel Plate railways have voted almost unanimously to strike unless their original proposition for a wage increase is accepted by those roads. The vote was canvassed by the officials of the employee's union.

### Put Eddie Fay in Jail Nude.

Richmond, Va.—Fred Cunningham, alias "Eddie" Fay, and Frank Chester, alias Little Dick Harris, arrested in New York on a charge of looting the cashier's safe of the Richmond post office, were lodged in jail here Friday. A thousand or more persons were at the station to meet them. Great care was taken to prevent their escape. The prisoners were stripped, bathed and placed naked in their cells. "They won't try any silk thread and emery dust work on my bars," said the jailer.

### "WETS" CARRY WISCONSIN

Many Cities Refuse to Vote Out License—Social Democrats Elect Mayor in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee.—Wet victories were the rule in the scores of license elections held in Wisconsin.

Notable in the list of cities which refused to vote out license were Racine, Janesville, New Richmond, Baraboo, Platteville, River Falls, Waupaca, Galesville, Hudson, Monroe and Trempealeau, while the most important change from wet to dry was Edgerton, wet two years ago by 30, which went dry this year by a margin of 90 votes. Stoughton, Ladell, Viroqua and Cumberland remain dry.

New Richmond, which went wet this year, was dry for nearly two years, but a few days ago a court decision was rendered that the city had voted dry illegally, because of a faulty election notice. The vote, however, revokes the former verdict of the voters.

The results of the license vote were as follows:

Dry towns remaining dry: Stoughton, Coloma, Ladell, Argyle, Brodhead, Oak, Cumberland, Dallas, Viroqua, Readstown, Viola, La Farge.

Wet towns remaining wet: Racine, Kenosha, Fond du Lac, Green Bay, Marinette, Oconomowoc, Montello, Packwaukee, Randolph, Palmyra, Florence, Pewaukee, River Falls, Black River Falls, Merrill, Baraboo, Mineral Point, Blanchardville, Belmont, Darlington, Platteville, Hudson, Janesville, Monroe, Cameron, Turin Lake, Waupaca, Reedsburg, Plainfield, Trempealeau, Galesville, Beloit, Bayley's Harbor, Rice Lake, Seymour, Oregon, Algoma, Forestville.

Dry towns going wet: Albany, Darlen, New Richmond, Delavan, Sharon, Sturgeon Bay, Jacksonport Union Grove.

Wet towns going dry: Edgerton, Alma Center, Barron, Coon Valley, Gays Mills.

There were not many contests in the state upon party issues. The majority of the contests were with non-partisan candidates.

In Milwaukee the Social Democrats, led by Emil Seidel, candidate for mayor, swept the city in the municipal election by approximately 5,000 votes, or the largest plurality of any party in a similar contest in the history of the city. The Social Democrats will control the common council, having elected all six aldermen at large and carried 14 wards out of 23.

### ORDER BUTTER TRUST PROBE

Attorney General Starts Investigation Into Methods of Elgin Board in Fixing Prices.

Washington.—Attorney General Wickersham Thursday ordered a strict investigation of the Elgin board with a view to prosecuting or dissolving the organization as a conspiracy in restraint of trade, or in other words, as the butter trust.

As a matter of fact the Elgin body of butter producers has been under investigation for some time, but the testimony of President Newman and Vice-President Wood before the Lodge committee forced the hand of the Department of Justice and the open order for an investigation was given.

Both Mr. Newman and Mr. Wood testified that while the prices are controlled by New York, the board at Elgin does actually fix each Monday the price that is to be paid for butter for the entire week. As they also testified that within the Elgin district are the southern tier of counties of Wisconsin, the eastern tier of Iowa and all of Illinois, and further that practically all the butter in which the board deals is shipped east.

### Slain in Dash for Liberty.

San Francisco.—The sudden dash for liberty of C. J. Collins, a military prisoner, was stopped on the Folsom street wharf by the bullets of a squad of soldiers. Eight rifles split fire as he ran. He stumbled and fell on. Again there was a volley. He jumped high in the air, came down, staggered on for 30 feet more and fell dead.

### Thousands Are Starving.

New York.—That 12,000 persons are starving in Armenia and will die unless outside help reaches them before the next harvest season, two months hence, is the statement made in a cablegram received here Friday by the Armenian Relief association.

### Sugar Trust in Contempt.

New York.—Judge Lacombe of the United States circuit court Friday adjudged the American Sugar Refining company in contempt of court and fined the corporation \$500.

## ROUND ABOUT THE STATE

What Is Going on in Different Sections of Kentucky.

### MONARCH FOUND DYING.

Was Son of Former Well-known Kentucky Distiller.

Owensboro, Ky.—Daniel Monarch, son of a former well-known distiller of Kentucky, was found dying at his home on South Fredericks street with a bullet hole through his left side. Death came at night. The members of the family heard the report of a pistol in Mr. Monarch's room, and rushing in, found him with a revolver by his side. Monarch is 35 years old and leaves a widow and five young children. He was married to Miss Pauline Mattingly, one of the most beautiful girls of Owensboro. He is a son of the late M. V. Monarch, who was at one time one of the largest distillers in the country. Daniel Monarch was in the liquor business in Owensboro for a number of years. Until two months ago he was connected with the Illinois Central railroad in Louisville. He had been contemplating going to St. Louis to accept a position. He had a brother, Lamar Monarch, who resides in Cincinnati, and his brother-in-law is D. J. Geary, of Oil City, Pa.

### WILL DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP.

Friends of Bradley and Cureton Guessing As to Cause.

Louisville, Ky.—Announcement of the dissolution of the law partnership of Senator William O. Bradley and State Senator Nat C. Cureton was made, causing much surprise to friends of both. The manner in which the announcement was made and the silence of both in regard to it leads to the belief that relations between the two had grown greatly strained before it was decided to publicly announce the breach. Senator Bradley left for Washington without making a statement. Office assistants stated that the dissolution was made by mutual consent. By some it is believed that the dissolution was brought about by Senator Cureton's espousal of the county unit bill, while others hold that Senator Bradley's lack of support of Senator Cureton in his candidacy for the Louisville postmastership is the cause of the breach.

### ORDERS BRIBERY PROBE.

Frankfort Judge Wants Grand Jury to Investigate Legislature Charges.

Frankfort, Ky.—Judge R. L. Stout began the April term of the circuit court here and created a sensation by giving explicit instructions to the grand jury to make a full and complete investigation of the charges of bribery made against members of the legislature recently in session. He told the jury that there was only one man more contemptible than a legislator who sold out his neighbors and friends by taking a bribe to vote against their interest and wishes, and that is the man who gives the bribe. He said to the jury: "I don't want you to think this a mere formal charge. I want you to make an earnest and fearless investigation of this alleged bribery, about which the state press has been teeming for weeks."

### SALE OF POOLED BURLEY.

District Boards to Ratify Fixed Sale Price of \$18.

Lexington, Ky.—No sale of the 1909 crop of tobacco pooled with the Burley Tobacco society has been made as yet, but negotiations are said to be pending out of which there may shortly come a deal. According to a member of the executive committee some information on this subject may be given to the public as to the result of the meeting of the district board of the Burley Tobacco society, which has been called to meet here. It was made known that the officials of the society have fixed the sale price of the pooled tobacco at \$18 per 100 pounds, subject, of course, to the ratification of the district boards.

Louisville, Ky.—Elaborate plans are being laid for the entertainment of delegates to the convention of the National Wholesale Grocers' association, to be held here May 24, 25 and 26. They will be given a banquet, a private vaudeville show, a tour of the city in automobiles and a trip to Mammoth cave. The convention will bring 500 delegates to the city.

Georgetown, Ky.—Knocking down County Jailor Tusky, John Powell, notorious convict and jail-breaker, and Cornelius Hickman, horse thief, gained their liberty. Hickman was captured a short time later in a nearby house, but Powell has eluded search.

Lexington, Ky.—Miss Bessie Mitchell Frazer, sister-in-law of Capt. Oliver F. Redd and descendant of Matthew Jonett, celebrated Kentucky artist, died at her home here.

Frankfort, Ky.—The state board of equalization heard the protests of the delegation of citizens from Campbell county against the rise of 25 per cent in the county's assessment. Each member of the delegation made a statement protesting against the rise, alleging that it was not there.

### SET DATE FOR PRIMARY.

Perfect Harmony at Seventh District Committee Meeting.

Frankfort, Ky.—The Democratic committee of the Seventh Congressional district decided to hold a primary election Saturday, June 25, for the purpose of selecting the nominee for congress to be voted for at the November election. There were no explosive speeches and perfect harmony prevailed. Former Congressman W. P. Kimball, of Lexington, noted that there was no provision in the call for the selection of officers for the primary, and W. O. Davis, committeeman from Woodford county, offered a resolution which defined the manner in which the election officers shall be chosen. Mr. Kimball offered a resolution that challengers or bystanders are permitted to challenge the vote of any person in the primary who is believed to have sold his certificate or allowed it to be held by another person. It was adopted. Candidates must enter by written notice not later than June 10 and pay the required assessment. If only one candidate qualifies by June 14 he shall be declared the nominee.

### NIGHT RIDER RECOGNIZED.

Family of Slain Lad Positive of Leader's Identity.

Brownsville, Ky.—Jesse Anderson, of the Bee Springs district, has been positively charged by all the members of Mrs. Del Carroll's family as being the leader of the band of night riders who unmercifully whipped Mrs. Carroll and her two daughters, aged 18 and 15 years, her son, 21 years, and killed another son, Charles Carroll, 12 years old. They all claim to have recognized Anderson. Sheriff Vincent and a posse of ten picked men arrested Anderson after lying in wait at his home, secreting themselves in a barn, at daylight as he approached with his gun in his hand. Seeing he was trapped Anderson surrendered and denied his guilt. The names of ten or twelve other men have been furnished the sheriff as members of the gang, and posess are scouring the country for them.

### INCREASE MEMBERSHIP.

Knights of Columbus Install Fifty-Five New Members.

Lexington, Ky.—Fifty-five new members were taken into Blue Grass council, No. 762, Knights of Columbus, increasing the membership to more than 300. The initiation was witnessed by many visiting knights from Cincinnati, Louisville, Covington, Newport and other points in Kentucky. The first and second degrees were conferred by Richard Crane, of Cincinnati, and the third degree work was done by a team from Louisville, headed by District Deputy P. H. Callahan. In Jackson hall a banquet was spread for the knights by the ladies of the Altar society of St. Peter's church.

### SUMMONS SENATOR WATKINS.

Will Testify Before Jury on Charges of Graft in Assembly.

Frankfort, Ky.—Senator Jeff Watkins, of Union county, has been summoned to appear before the Franklin county grand jury. During the recent session of the legislature Senator Watkins made the charge that four senators had sold out for \$20,000, and the grand jury will investigate these charges of bribery. After Senator Watkins' evidence is given several senators and representatives will be summoned.

### CLASHED WITH BOARD.

Chief of Institute for Feeble Minded Tenders Resignation.

Frankfort, Ky.—Dr. D. J. Healy, superintendent of the Institute for Feeble Minded in this city, tendered his resignation to the board of control of charitable institutions of the state. Dr. Healy is regarded in the highest esteem professionally by the members of the board, but they did not like the manner in which he executed the orders of the board. It is said Dr. Healy will be succeeded by Dr. C. A. Nevitt, who had charge of the institution temporarily prior to Dr. Healy's appointment.

Frankfort, Ky.—Capt. Jackson Morris, assistant secretary of state, is tipped to succeed McKelzie Todd as private secretary to Gov. Willson. Should he get the post W. Sherman Ball, of Breckenridge county, now of the corporation department, may get Morris' job.

Lexington, Ky.—Racing Secretary William H. Shelley opened his office in the clubhouse at Kentucky association track and began the preparations for the spring meeting which is to begin Saturday, April 30. The secretary's first work was to tab up the occupants of the 536 stalls in the track enclosure and he found 45 trainers with a total of 350 horses. He says that every one of these stalls and about 100 more on the outside of the grounds will be occupied when the meeting opens.